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Met with George J. Feldman, Room B 214, New House Office Building, apparently head of the staff of the House Select Committee on Astronautics and Space Exploration. The hearing will be held on Wednesday, 26 March, at 2:30 in Room P-15 in the House Wing of the Capitol. Generals Gavin and Ford and Admiral Rickover testified in executive session on 20 March 1958. The staff members include Richard Hines and Ray Wilco. Security has been requested to check their clearance status. Arrangements were also made for technical sweeps of the room. The shorthand reporting firm of Velie (?) will do the reporting and Feldman asked that the transcripts be delivered directly to CIA with only three copies to be made and one available for retention by CIA. The content of the briefing would include earth satellites, missiles, space ships, rockets to the moon, background on science effort and educational program, translation and clearing house for scientific articles of interest to Soviet scientists, organization of science efforts, psychological effect of Soviet successes, rocket engines and program by other countries in these fields.

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